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In re Application of :
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Int. Filing Date: 15 March 2000 : PETITION FOR REVIVAL
Priority Date: 19 March 1999 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)
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Applicants' "Petition to Revive Application Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)" filed with the national stage papers on 21 September 2001 in the above-captioned application is hereby GRANTED as follows:

The basic national fee has been paid. The petition fee of \$620.00 for a small entity has been submitted. Applicants state that "the entire delay in filing the accompanying application was unintentional" has been interpreted as meaning that the "entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" as required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3). If this is an incorrect interpretation, applicants are requested to notify this office. A terminal disclaimer is not required. Accordingly, all requirements under 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied.

No declaration was included with the national stage papers. Accordingly, this application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office for further processing including mailing a Notification of Missing Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) indicating that the declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) and a surcharge pursuant to 37 CFR 1.492(e) is required.


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